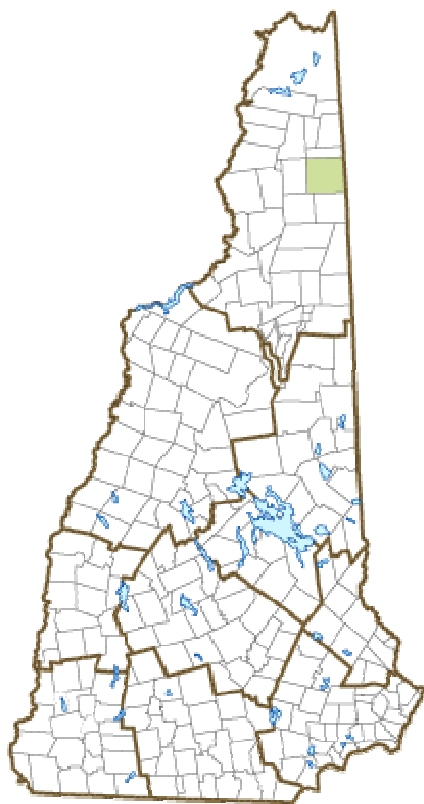


# Errol, NH



## Community Contact

**Town of Errol**  
**Board of Selectmen**  
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## Municipal Office Hours

**Selectmen: Monday through Thursday, 8:30 am - 1:30 pm;**  
**Town Clerk, Tax Collector: Monday, 9 am - 11 am, Tuesday,**  
**5 pm - 7:30 pm, Thursday, 8:30 am - 11 am**

County  
Labor Market Area  
Tourism Region  
Planning Commission  
Regional Development

**Coös**  
**Colebrook, NH-VT LMA, NH part**  
**Great North Woods**  
**North Country Council**  
**Coös Economic Development Corp.**

## Election Districts

US Congress  
Executive Council  
State Senate  
State Representative

**District 2**  
**District 1**  
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**Coös County District 1**

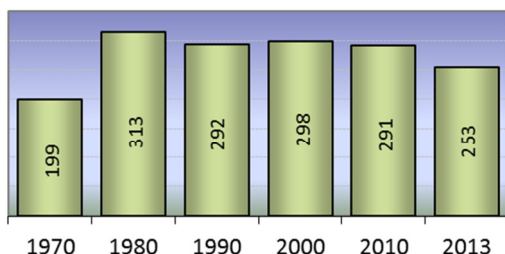
**Incorporated:** 1836

**Origin:** Errol was named for James Hay of Scotland, fifteenth Earl of Erroll, and owner of Linlithgow Castle, the birthplace of Mary, Queen of Scots, and King James V. The town was among the last chartered by the Wentworth governors, and many of those named in the charter were fellow Harvard graduates to John Wentworth. Though first chartered in 1774, Errol was not incorporated until 1836. Sitting on the northern end of Maine border, this sparsely populated town is a popular vacation site for snowmobilers. Errol includes half of Umbagog Lake, and has more inland water area than any town in Coös County.

**Villages and Place Names:** unknown

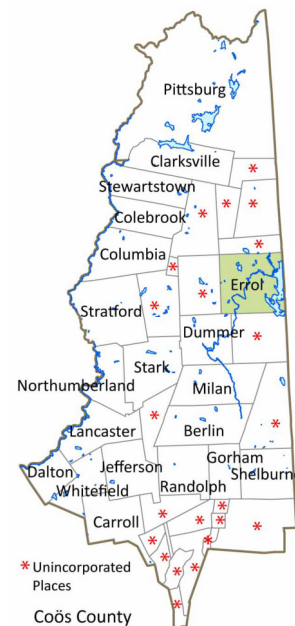
**Population, Year of the First Census Taken:** 38 residents in 1810

**Population Trends:** Population change for Errol totaled 33 over 53 years, from 220 in 1960 to 253 in 2013. The largest decennial percent change was 57 percent between 1970 and 1980. The 2013 Census estimate for Errol was 253 residents, which ranked 229th among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns, the sixth smallest community.



## Population Density and Land Area, 2013 (US Census

**Bureau):** 4.2 persons per square mile of land area. Errol contains 60.8 square miles of land area and 8.6 square miles of inland water area.



MUNICIPAL SERVICES			
Type of Government		Selectmen	
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2014		\$394,681	
Budget: School Appropriations, 2013-2014		\$443,339	
Zoning Ordinance		No Ordinance	
Master Plan		1996	
Capital Improvement Plan		No	
Industrial Plans Reviewed By			
Boards and Commissions			
Elected:	Selectmen; Planning; Library; Trust Funds; Zoning		
Appointed:	Conservation; Forest; Heritage		
Public Library	Errol Public		
EMERGENCY SERVICES			
Police Department		State Police	
Fire Department		Volunteer	
Emergency Medical Service		Volunteer	
Nearest Hospital(s)		Distance	Staffed Beds
Upper Connecticut Valley, Colebrook		23 miles	16
Androscoggin Valley, Berlin		28 miles	25
UTILITIES			
Electric Supplier		Eversource Energy	
Natural Gas Supplier		None	
Water Supplier		Errol Water Works	
Sanitation		Private septic & municipal	
Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant		No	
Solid Waste Disposal			
Curbside Trash Pickup		None	
Pay-As-You-Throw Program		No	
Recycling Program		Mandatory	
Telephone Company		Fairpoint	
Cellular Telephone Access		No	
Cable Television Access		No	
Public Access Television Station		No	
High Speed Internet Service:	Business	unknown	
	Residential	unknown	
PROPERTY TAXES		(NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)	
2013 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)		\$12.35	
2013 Equalization Ratio		100.3	
2013 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)		\$12.65	
2013 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type			
Residential Land and Buildings		78.8%	
Commercial Land and Buildings		10.3%	
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other		11.0%	
HOUSING		(ACS 2009-2013)	
Total Housing Units		448	
Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached		361	
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:			
Two to Four Units in Structure		15	
Five or More Units in Structure		0	
Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units		72	

DEMOGRAPHICS		(US Census Bureau)	
Total Population		Community	County
2013	253		32,141
2010	291		33,055
2000	298		33,156
1990	292		34,879
1980	313		35,014
1970	199		34,189
Demographics, American Community Survey (ACS) 2009-2013			
Population by Gender			
Male	136	Female	117
Population by Age Group			
Under age 5			9
Age 5 to 19			6
Age 20 to 34			42
Age 35 to 54			77
Age 55 to 64			45
Age 65 and over			74
Median Age			54.5 years
Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over			
High school graduate or higher			86.9%
Bachelor's degree or higher			9.5%
INCOME, INFLATION ADJUSTED \$		(ACS 2009-2013)	
Per capita income			\$30,444
Median family income			\$63,750
Median household income			\$35,000
Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers			
Male			\$44,688
Female			\$37,917
Individuals below the poverty level			10.7%
LABOR FORCE		(NHES – ELMI)	
Annual Average	2003		2013
Civilian labor force	175		146
Employed	158		132
Unemployed	17		14
Unemployment rate	9.7%		9.6%
EMPLOYMENT & WAGES		(NHES – ELMI)	
Annual Average Covered Employment	2003		2013
Goods Producing Industries			
Average Employment	12		n
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 415		n
Service Providing Industries			
Average Employment	69		n
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 499		n
Total Private Industry			
Average Employment	80		112
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 487		\$ 592
Government (Federal, State, and Local)			
Average Employment	35		31
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 459		\$ 594
Total, Private Industry plus Government			
Average Employment	115		143
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 478		\$ 592
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**EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE**

Schools students attend: **Errol operates grades K-8; grades 9-12 are tuitioned to Berlin**  
 Career Technology Center(s): **Berlin Regional Career & Technical Center**

District: **SAU 20**  
 Region: **2**

Educational Facilities (includes Charter Schools)	Elementary	Middle/Junior High	High School	Private/Parochial
Number of Schools	<b>1</b>			
Grade Levels	<b>K 1-8</b>			
Total Enrollment	<b>12</b>			

Nearest Community College: **White Mountains**

Nearest Colleges or Universities: **Granite State College-Berlin**

2014 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (DHHS-Bureau of Child Care Licensing)

Total Facilities: **0** Total Capacity: **0**

LARGEST BUSINESSES	PRODUCT/SERVICE	EMPLOYEES	ESTABLISHED
L.L. Cote	Convenience store, subway, sporting goods, hardware, & snowmobile retailer	31	1997
J M L Trucking & Excavating	Construction & excavating	30	2003
Northern Exposure Restaurant	Restaurant	9	2004
Great North Woods	Convenience store, gas	5	2002
Eame's Garage	Auto repair	4	1937
Errol General Store	Convenience store	4	1884
B Hall & Sons	Logging	3	1956
R Sweatt & Sons	Trucking	3	
P & L Oil	Fuel delivery	2	1982
Bear Country Powersports	Snowmobile retailer, parts & service	2	2006

**TRANSPORTATION** (*distances estimated from city/town hall*)

Road Access US Routes  
 State Routes **16, 26**  
 Nearest Interstate, Exit **I-91 (VT), Exit 28; I-93, Exit 35**  
 Distance **71 miles; 74 miles**

Railroad **No**  
 Public Transportation **No**

Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation  
**Errol Airport** Runway **3,680 ft. gravel**  
 Lighted? **No** Navigation Aids? **No**

Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service  
**Portland (ME) International** Distance **107 miles**  
 Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport **13**

Driving distance to select cities:  
 Manchester, NH **200 miles**  
 Portland, Maine **106 miles**  
 Boston, Mass. **200 miles**  
 New York City, NY **408 miles**  
 Montreal, Quebec **152 miles**

**COMMUTING TO WORK** (*ACS 2009-2013*)

Workers 16 years and over  
 Drove alone, car/truck/van **62.5%**  
 Carpooled, car/truck/van **17.2%**  
 Public transportation **0.0%**  
 Walked **6.6%**  
 Other means **0.0%**  
 Worked at home **13.8%**  
 Mean Travel Time to Work **16.2 minutes**

**Percent of Working Residents: ACS 2009-2013**

Working in community of residence **33.8**  
 Commuting to another NH community **54.7**  
 Commuting out-of-state **11.6**

**RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS**

Municipal Parks  
 YMCA/YWCA  
 Boys Club/Girls Club  
 Golf Courses  
 Swimming: Indoor Facility  
 Swimming: Outdoor Facility  
 Tennis Courts: Indoor Facility  
**X** Tennis Courts: Outdoor Facility  
 Ice Skating Rink: Indoor Facility  
 Bowling Facilities  
 Museums  
 Cinemas  
 Performing Arts Facilities  
**X** Tourist Attractions  
**X** Youth Organizations (i.e., Scouts, 4-H)  
 Youth Sports: Baseball  
 Youth Sports: Soccer  
 Youth Sports: Football  
 Youth Sports: Basketball  
 Youth Sports: Hockey  
**X** Campgrounds  
**X** Fishing/Hunting  
**X** Boating/Marinas  
**X** Snowmobile Trails  
 Bicycle Trails  
**X** Cross Country Skiing  
**X** Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area  
**X** Overnight or Day Camps

Nearest Ski Area(s): **Balsams Wilderness**

Other: **Androscoggin River; Lake Umbagog; ATV Trails; Snowmobile Trails**